

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1. (Currently amended) A method of presenting and managing a history of web pages accessed, comprising:

accessing a web page by a user;
reducing the size of the accessed web page to a thumbnail snapshot;
comparing the accessed web page content to a previously accessed web page content; and
displaying the thumbnail snapshot of the accessed web page to the user in an area of a screen ~~containing only history information~~ if the accessed web page content and the previously accessed web page content are not the same, wherein the thumbnail snapshot provides one or more options that, when selected by a user, store the thumbnail snapshot as a bookmark.

Claim 2. (Previously presented) The method recited in claim 1, wherein prior to the reducing the size of the accessed web page to a thumbnail snapshot, further comprising:

checking a history file to determine if the accessed web page is in the history file; and
reducing the size of the web page only when the accessed web page is not in the history file.

Claim 3. (Original) The method recited in claim 2, wherein the thumbnail snapshot is displayed to the user in a toolbar.

Claim 4. (Original) The method recited in claim 3, wherein the toolbar is able to scroll and display a plurality of thumbnail snapshots from the most recent to the least recent.

Claim 5. (Previously presented) The method recited in claim 1, further comprising:
displaying one or more thumbnail snapshots of bookmarked web pages in a second area of the screen.

Claim 6. (Currently amended) A computer program embodied on a computer readable medium and executable by a computer for presenting and managing a history of web pages accessed, when executed performing the steps of:

accessing a web page by a user;
reducing the size of the accessed web page to a thumbnail snapshot;
comparing the accessed web page content to a previously accessed web page content; and
displaying the thumbnail snapshot of the accessed web page to the user in an area of a screen containing ~~only~~-history information ~~only~~ if the accessed web page content and the previously accessed web page content are not the same.

Claim 7. (Previously presented) The computer program recited in claim 6, wherein prior to the reducing the size of the accessed web page to a thumbnail snapshot, further comprising:

checking a history file to determine if the accessed web page is in the history file; and
reducing the size of the accessed web page only when the web page is not in the history file.

Claim 8. (Original) The computer program recited in claim 7, wherein the thumbnail snapshot is displayed to the user in a toolbar.

Claim 9. (Original) The computer program recited in claim 8, wherein the toolbar is able to scroll and display a plurality of thumbnail snapshots from the most recent to the least recent.

Claim 10. (Previously presented) The computer program recited in claim 6, further comprising:

displaying one or more thumbnail snapshots of bookmarked web pages in a second area of the screen.

Claim 11. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the area of a screen containing only history information displays a plurality of thumbnail snapshots of previously accessed web pages simultaneously.

Claim 12. (Previously presented) The method recited in claim 1, wherein the screen is embodied in a cellular phone or a personal digital assistant.

Claim 13. (Previously presented) The method recited in claim 5, wherein the screen is embodied in a cellular phone the thumbnail snapshots of the bookmarked web pages being arranged in a polar spatial organizational scheme.

Claim 14. (Previously presented) The computer program recited in claim 6, wherein the screen is embodied in a cellular phone or a personal digital assistant.

Claim 15. (Previously presented) The computer program recited in claim 10, wherein the thumbnail snapshots of the bookmarked web pages are arranged in a polar spatial organizational scheme.

Claim 16. (Currently amended) A terminal, comprising:
a processor;
a screen; and
a computer program embodied on a computer readable medium and executable by the processor for presenting and managing a history of web pages accessed, when executed performing the steps of:
accessing a web page by a user;
reducing the size of the accessed web page to a thumbnail snapshot;
comparing the accessed web page content to a previously accessed web page content; and

displaying the thumbnail snapshot of the accessed web page to the user in an area of the screen containing ~~only~~ history information only if the accessed web page content and the previously accessed web page content are not the same.

Claim 17. (Previously presented) The terminal recited in claim 16, wherein, when executed, the computer program, prior to the reducing the size of the accessed web page to a thumbnail snapshot, further performs the steps of:

checking a history file to determine if the accessed web page is in the history file; and
reducing the size of the accessed web page only when the web page is not in the history file.

Claim 18. (Previously presented) The terminal recited in claim 16, wherein the thumbnail snapshot is displayed to the user in a toolbar.

Claim 19. (Previously presented) The terminal recited in claim 18, wherein the toolbar is able to scroll and display a plurality of thumbnail snapshots from the most recent to the least recent.

Claim 20. (Previously presented) The terminal recited in claim 16, wherein, when executed, the computer program further performs the step of:

displaying one or more thumbnail snapshots of bookmarked web pages in a second area of the screen.

Claim 21. (Previously presented) The terminal recited in claim 16, wherein the area of a screen containing only history information displays a plurality of thumbnail snapshots of previously accessed web pages simultaneously.

Claim 22. (Previously presented) The terminal recited in claim 16, wherein the terminal is a cellular phone or a personal digital assistant.

Claim 23. (Previously presented) The terminal recited in claim 20, wherein the thumbnail snapshots of the bookmarked web pages are arranged in a polar spatial organizational scheme.